



Submission of this No Exposure Certification constitutes notice that the entity identified in Section A does not require permit authorization for its stormwater discharges associated with industrial activity in the State identified in Section B under EPA's Stormwater Multi Sector General Permit due to the existence of a condition of no exposure.

A condition of no exposure exists at an industrial facility when all industrial materials and activities are protected by a storm resistant shelter to prevent exposure to rain, snow, snowmelt, and/or runoff. Industrial materials or activities include, but are not limited to, material handling equipment or activities, industrial machinery, raw materials, intermediate products, by-products, final products, or waste products. Material handling activities include the storage, loading and unloading, transportation, or conveyance of any raw material, intermediate product, final product or waste product. A storm resistant shelter is not required for the following industrial materials and activities:

- drums, barrels, tanks, and similar containers that are tightly sealed, provided those containers are not deteriorated and do not leak. "Sealed" means banded or otherwise secured and without operational taps or valves;
- adequately maintained vehicles used in material handling; and
- final products, other than products that would be mobilized in stormwater discharges (e.g., rock salt).

A No Exposure Certification must be provided for each facility qualifying for the no exposure exclusion. In addition, the exclusion from NPDES permitting is available on a facility-wide basis only, not for individual outfalls. If any industrial activities or materials are or will be exposed to precipitation, the facility is not eligible for the no exposure exclusion.

By signing and submitting this No Exposure Certification form, the entity in Section A is certifying that a condition of no exposure exists at its facility or site, and is obligated to comply with the terms and conditions of 40 CFR 122.26(g).

ALL INFORMATION MUST BE PROVIDED ON THIS FORM.

Detailed instructions for completing this form and obtaining the no exposure exclusion are provided on pages 3 and 4.

**A. Facility Operator Information**

1. Name: CRAIG BRYMER 2. Phone: 423-7145-4501

3. Email: CBRYMER@AUB.ORG

4. Mailing Address: a. Street PO BOX 689

b. City: ATHENS c. State TN d. Zip Code: 37371-0689

**B. Facility/Site Location Information**

1. Facility Name: NORTH MOUSE CREEK WWTP

2. a. Street Address: 339 COUNTY ROAD 128

b. City: ATHENS c. County: MCMINN

d. State: TN e. Zip Code: 37303-

3. Is the facility located on Indian Lands?  YES  NO

4. Is this a Federal facility?  YES  NO

5. a. Latitude: 35° 27' 00" b. Longitude: 084° 39' 13"

6. a. Was the facility or site previously covered under an NPDES stormwater permit?  YES  NO

b. If yes, enter NPDES permit number or tracking number: TNRO56423

7. SIC/Activity Codes: Primary: 4952 Secondary (if applicable):     

8. Total size of site associated with industrial activity: 3 acres

9. a. Have you paved or roofed over a formerly exposed, pervious area in order to qualify for the no exposure exclusion?  YES  NO

b. If yes, please indicate approximately how much area was paved or roofed over. Completing this question does not disqualify you for the no exposure exclusion. However, your permitting authority may use this information in considering whether stormwater discharges from your site are likely to have an adverse impact on water quality, in which case you could be required to obtain permit coverage.

Less than one acre  One to five acres  More than five acres

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**C. Exposure Checklist**

Are any of the following materials or activities exposed to precipitation, now or in the foreseeable future?  
 (Please check either "Yes" or "No" in the appropriate box.) **If you answer "Yes" to any of these questions (1) through (11), you are not eligible for the no exposure exclusion.**

	Yes	No
1. Using, storing or cleaning industrial machinery or equipment, and areas where residuals from using, storing or cleaning industrial machinery or equipment remain and are exposed to stormwater	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. Materials or residuals on the ground or in stormwater inlets from spills/leaks	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3. Materials or products from past industrial activity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4. Material handling equipment (except adequately maintained vehicles)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5. Materials or products during loading/unloading or transporting activities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6. Materials or products stored outdoors (except final products intended for outside use [e.g., new cars] where exposure to stormwater does not result in the discharge of pollutants)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7. Materials contained in open, deteriorated or leaking storage drums, barrels, tanks, and similar containers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
8. Materials or products handled/stored on roads or railways owned or maintained by the discharger	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
9. Waste material (except waste in covered, non leaking containers [e.g., dumpsters])	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
10. Application or disposal of process wastewater (unless otherwise permitted)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
11. Particulate matter or visible deposits of residuals from roof stacks and/or vents not otherwise regulated (i.e., under an air quality control permit) and evident in the stormwater outflow	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

**D. Certification Statement**

I certify under penalty of law that I have read and understand the eligibility requirements for claiming a condition of "no exposure" and obtaining an exclusion from NPDES stormwater permitting.

I certify under penalty of law that there are no discharges of stormwater contaminated by exposure to industrial activities or materials from the industrial facility or site identified in this document (except as allowed under 40 CFR 122.26(g)(2)).

I understand that I am obligated to submit a no exposure certification form once every five years to the NPDES permitting authority and, if requested, to the operator of the local municipal separate storm sewer system (MS4) into which the facility discharges (where applicable). I understand that I must allow the NPDES permitting authority, or MS4 operator where the discharge is into the local MS4, to perform inspections to confirm the condition of no exposure and to make such inspection reports publicly available upon request. I understand that I must obtain coverage under an NPDES permit prior to any point source discharge of stormwater from the facility.

Additionally, I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gathered and evaluated the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is to the best of my knowledge and belief true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

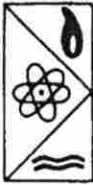
Print Name: JILL DAVIS

Print Title: SUPERINTENDENT

Signature: 

Date: 01/09/2015  
 Mo Day Year

Email: JDAVIS@AUB.ORG



# Athens Utilities Board

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January 6, 2015

Storm Water NOI Processing  
Tennessee Division of Water Resources  
William R. Snodgrass Tennessee Tower  
312 Rosa L. Parks Avenue, 11th Floor  
Nashville, TN 37243

Re: North Mouse Creek WWTP – No Exposure Certification

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Dear Sirs:

Athens Utilities Board owns and operates two wastewater treatment facilities in McMinn County. Stormwater discharges from our North Mouse Creek WWTP have been covered under a No Exposure exclusion since January 2010. Prior to that time, by permit number TNR056423.

This facility still qualifies for a condition of no exposure. A completed no exposure certification form is enclosed for your review.

If you have further questions concerning these forms please call me at (423) 745-4501 or send an email to [cbrymer@aub.org](mailto:cbrymer@aub.org). Thank you for your time and attention.

Sincerely,

Craig Brymer  
Regulatory Compliance Specialist

cc: Jill Davis, Superintendent  
Angela Young, TN Div. of Water Resources, Chattanooga